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Dr. Parkhurst's Crusade---The Silver Question---Spreckels' Refinery Closed up.

CHICAGO, April 14.—A furious storm with wind, rain and hail, finally turning into snow, began yesterday evening and continued all night. The wind came from the north-east, and as it swept over the lake raised tremendous seas. This morning a 60-mile gale was blowing. As the waves struck the lines of piling along the lake shore, they shot high into the air, and the spray was carried hundreds of feet inland. Local trains on the Illinois Central Railway and all other lines suffered some interruptions. The grain and lumber fleet did not venture out, nor was there any departure of steam craft. Heavy snow and storms are reported throughout Minnesota, Dakota, Iowa and the northwest generally, and this morning a gale is blowing along the lakes, accompanied in most cases by rain or snow. Telegraphic communication with parts of the west, southwest and northwest of this city is almost entirely cut off, and at noon there is no indication of any abatement of the storm in these districts.

Spreckels' Refinery Closed.

PHILADELPHIA, April 14.—The sugar trust has begun to restrict the production of refined sugar in this city. It has ordered the Spreckels' refinery to be closed down. In consequence several hundred men are temporarily out of employment. This move has been made contrary to the promises of some of the people most interested that when the big deal was consummated the local refineries would not be shut down, that the trust could not afford to do so as the best sugar in the country was made here. Inquiries at Spreckels' office today developed the fact that the refining would be suspended for an indefinite period and that at present no quotations would be given out on sugar at all, except refined granulated. That is the only grade the trust is handling of the Spreckels production, the others having been exhausted or being held for higher prices.

Ruffianly Snobs.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Charles De Forest, actor, aged 22, and James C. Campbell, broker, 65 Wall street, this morning at Jefferson market police court were held in bail on the charge of assaulting Ernest Hutchinson, husband of Lydia Thompson, at the 14th street theatre last night. The men asked Hutchinson for free admission to the theatre, and on his refusal, had, it is alleged, struck him over the head several blows with a heavy cane. Dr. Fleming certified this morning that Hutchinson was in a very serious condition, that there are palpable evidences of concussion of the brain, serious contusion of the base of the cranium and compound fracture of the nasal bones. The case will be again called on Saturday.

The New Republic of Trans Atlantica.

RIO JANEIRO, April 14.—The state of seige in this city has been raised, all further danger of immediate trouble having passed away owing to President Peixotto's energetic measures. The arrest of Conde Leopoldina in confirmed. Viscount Mello was taken into custody at the same time. The state of Matto Grassa has announced that it is a new republic and has assumed the name of Trans-Atlantica. With the exception of one battalion all the troops in the river squadron are in favor of the revolutionists. The new republic will send envoys to Argentine, Paraquay and Bolivia to ask recognition of its independence. The insurgents are well supplied with food, arms, money and torpedoes, etc., but wanting in discipline in their army.

Dr. Parkhurst's Crusade

NEW YORK, April 14.—The Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, who gained such notoriety by his crusade against this city's dives, issued an address to the citizens of New York this morning in which he tells what methods he adopted to procure the evidence which has been the subject of much adverse criticism. His object, he says, has been solely to secure in the public mind an indictment against the police department. He does not try to defend his method but says it was the only way in which he could cut to the quick of the whole corrupt business. He refers to the police department as an "organized and salaried criminality" which threatens the community and says he is determined in his course and will continue it.

The Pacific Cable Survey.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Thetis will sail from San Francisco about Saturday next on the surveying line for the cable between the Pacific coast and the Sandwich Islands. The Thetis goes out to complete the survey begun by the Albatross, which was taken off for duty in Behring Sea. She will lay down two lines, and is expected to return to this country in course of the next two months. The transfer of the apparatus from the Albatross to the Thetis has caused some delay, and those in charge of the work expect that the completion of the survey will be further delayed by the substitution of the Thetis, which is a much slower ship than the Albatross.

The Behring Sea Arbitrators.

WASHINGTON, D.C., April 14.—One of the gentlemen whose name is mentioned as probable arbitrator for the United States in Behring Sea matters is ex-Senator Edmunds, and there are surface indications that his appointment has been determined upon. If that proves to be the case the other arbitrator will doubtless be selected from the west. It cannot be learned if any person has been chosen to aid ex-Minister Phelps as counsel for the United States in the case.

VANCOUVER NEWS.

Mr. Cashin's Statement---The Y.M.C.A.---Birth of Triplets.

VANCOUVER, April 14.—D. M. Cashin, late deputy collector of customs of San Francisco, referred to yesterday, says he is innocent of wrong-doing in connection with the customs frauds. He says irregularities occurred which he could not explain, and which caused him to resign, but with which he had nothing to do. The present prosecution was made to screen other parties, and was based on perjured testimony. The alleged confession implicating himself and others was entirely false and unfounded. He never made any statement to any person, and is not a fugitive from justice. He says he resigned last October and has been on the Pacific coast ever since. He came here a month ago, got into the ice business, and is now busily engaged as manager of an ice company. He will stay here permanently. The statement made in the Tacoma Ledger that he confessed himself a thief is an outrageous falsehood. He intends prosecuting that paper.

Mr. Smitheringale, telegrap editor of the Telegram, was given a farewell dinner last evening on his going to Victoria to reside.

Mrs. Cope, wife of Mayor Cope, has been appointed president of the ladies' central committee of the Y.M.C.A., which intends pushing the completion of the new building.

The steamer Active, which arrived in port yesterday, brought the news that Annie White, of Port Neville, had given birth to triplets. She is a halfbreed woman. All are girls and doing well. Their aggregate weight is 33 pounds.

Nanaimo News.

NANAIMO, April 14.—There was an attempted burglary at Wellington last night. The men tried to break in a boarding house, when a man named Steele, who lives in the house, came out to see what the matter was, and was shot by one of the men, but not seriously injured. The burglars bolted and have not as yet been caught.

The students and probationers of the Vancouver Island Methodist Conference, will meet in Nanaimo on Tuesday and Wednesday next, April 19th and 20th, for their annual examinations. It is expected that six or seven candidates will be present. The examination embraces papers on 38 different topics.

Lewis Woods was again before the magistrates yesterday afternoon, charged with indecent exposure before a number of children. The case was heard with closed doors.

Viticulture at the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, April 14.—H. M. Larne of Sacramento, Cala., will probably be chief of the bureau of viticulture in the department of horticulture at the World's Fair. He has been endorsed for the place by the governor of California, the World's Fair board of the state and all horticultural societies on the coast and by the national commissioners from California. "I have no idea of organizing that bureau at this time," said Director-General Davis today. "Mr. Larne has been very strongly endorsed, more favorably, I may say, than any other candidate, but the appointment will not be made for some time."

Fire in Long Island City.

NEW YORK, April 14.—At midnight last night a fire was discovered in the storage shed of the Long Island Railroad in Long Island City. The building and contents were destroyed. The flames extended to the moulding mill of Lampa & Company; also to Clark & Simpson's produce market. Both of these buildings were soon burned. Burroughs' lumber yards were also burned. A large area was burned over. It is estimated that the loss will exceed $200,000.

Inspector Byrnes' Successor.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Inspector Henry V. Steers has been appointed chief of the detective bureau to succeed Thomas Byrnes, promoted to the office of superintendent of police. Chief Steers' appointment is merely formal, as the law of 1888, which created the chief inspectorship, provides that the senior inspector shall hold the office and have charge of the detective bureau.

Will Deliver the Oration.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Chauncey M. Depew will deliver the oration on the occasion of laying the corner stone of Gen. Grant's tomb. The appointment was made several days ago by the trustees of the Grant monument association but was not announced until yesterday. Mr. Depew has accepted the honorable task and will no doubt deliver a memorable effort.

International Conference on Silver.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The Press this morning says positive information that a definite proposition for an international conference on silver has lately come from the English Government to the United States Government is in the possession of a few well-informed persons in New York city and Washington, and there is good reason to believe that this fact will soon be made public.

Transfer of Railway Property.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company will on Saturday next close its water transportation department in this city. Its barges, tugs and other floating property will on that day be transferred to the Lehigh Valley Railway Company. This action is of course in line with the reforms which have been made here owing to the recent coal combination.

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DEFEATED BY THE NATIVES

A Severe Check Experienced by a French Force in Battle in West Africa.

Heavy Loss of Life and Property Caused by Fires in European Villages.

Cotton Spinners Locked Out in England---De Giers and Cardinal Rampolla Ill.

LONDON, April 14.—A dispatch to the Standard from Freetown, West Africa, says:—Messengers from King Samadu report that the French expedition was repulsed near Kairawane, and that four French officers and 81 native soldiers were taken prisoners. The French force is awaiting reinforcements before renewing its attacks.

The Italian Ministry Resigns.

ROME, April 14.—Owing to differences that arose at the last three cabinet councils over financial measures to be submitted to Parliament, the whole ministry tendered their resignations to King Humbert today, who accepted them. The King has asked Marquis di Rudini to reconstruct the cabinet. No change in the ministerial programme is expected, except that Marquis di Rudini proposes to insist most strongly upon the government's financial proposals.

Fatal Fires.

LONDON, April 14.—News has been received of two disastrous fires. One occurred in the Bavarian village of Molliken, where several houses were burned and four persons perished. The other was in the Moravian village of Mordlaw, where 45 houses were consumed and three persons were burned to death.

Anarchist's Threats.

MADRID, April 14.—A bomb with a burning fuse was found yesterday morning at the entrance of the School of Architects. Attempts to blow up buildings have decreased lately, and the anarchists have taken to writing letters in which they threaten to destroy churches and public buildings.

Strikers Dispersed.

PRAGUE, April 14.—Woollen mill operatives went on strike to-day and assumed a menacing attitude. A large force of gendarmes tried to disperse them, when a pitched battle ensued. The mob was finally dispersed but not before several members were seriously hurt.

The Cotton Lockout Commenced.

LONDON, April 14.—The extensive cotton spinning lockout declared by federation of master spinners nearly two weeks ago was begun in part today and by Saturday 70,000 operatives will be idle.

De Giers' Health Critical.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 14.—M. De Giers, foreign minister, is worse. Pleurisy has appeared and his condition is pronounced critical.

Papal Secretary Ill.

ROME, April 14.—Cardinal Rampolla, papal secretary of state, is ill, but his condition is not serious.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.

Excitement Over the Kennedy Case---An Important Judgment.

NEW WESTMINSTER, April 14.—Dodgers bearing the following were distributed in all parts of the city to-day: "Public Meeting. The people of Westminster are invited to assemble in the opera house at 8 o'clock on Saturday evening, April 16, for the purpose of getting down to business in defence of free speech. The Premier and the Attorney-General are cordially invited to be present." It is learned that the committee have issued invitations to both Mr. Robson and Mr. Davie. The excitement is growing more intense all the time. Word has been sent in from all parts of the district that the district is solid almost to a man. It is reported that the Kennedys will appear before the bar of the House next Tuesday with their lawyer. If they are ordered arrested they will be released upon habeas corpus, and the matter will thus be thrown into the courts.

In the supreme court Judge Walkem decided that real estate men could not legally collect conveyance fees. This decision was the outcome of a suit brought by Woods & Gamble against Mrs. Brighouse to recover conveyancing fees.

A LILLOOET OUTRAGE.

An Indian Maiden Flogged by Command of a Priest.

A correspondent in Lillooet sends to the TIMES the following facts about a flogging case that has absorbed the entire attention of the citizens of Lillooet and vicinity for some time:—

The Rev. E. C. Chirouse, O.M.I., visited the La Fountain Indian reserve about the middle of last month. During his visit there a young Indian woman and her lover (a handsome young buck) were caught in the act of breaking a church law ("mammook cultus"). The Rev. father ordered that both be flogged. The young woman was stripped of all her clothing except a thin chemise; she was held down by two Indians, while one muscular Indian administered fifteen lashes with a rawhide whip. The next evening the young woman was flogged again (fifteen lashes), making thirty lashes with a rawhide in twenty-four hours. The above facts were not learned by the authorities until about ten days after the floggings. The Indians feared the young woman would die; then the truth came out about the floggings. The Indians who assisted at the floggings were arrested and lodged in the Lillooet jail. A warrant was sworn out against the priest, Rev. E. C. Chirouse; he was arrested at Pemberton Meadows, by special constable W. G. Manson, and brought to Lillooet for trial. The preliminary trial was held at Lillooet on April 5th, John Martley, J. P., on the bench. The priest was bound over to appear at the County Court to be held at Lillooet on the 2nd day of May in the sum of $1000 bail. The young woman has been unable to move since the whippings. She has to be turned over in bed by assistants, being too weak to turn alone. She is still in a very critical condition, but with careful nursing she may recover.

OTTAWA NEWS.

Major Clarke's Visit---Dullness in Parliamentary Circles.

OTTAWA, April 14.—Major William Clarke, who represents the English capitalists, who intend forming a company in connection with the Crofters' scheme for the development of the deep sea fisheries on the Pacific coast, arrived here this morning and says he is well satisfied with the legislation passed by the British Columbia Legislature regarding the same. He is accompanied by his daughter. They will sail by the Parisian from Halifax on Saturday.

Everything is dead in parliamentary circles to-day, members having left for the Easter holidays.

THEY NEED A TRAIL.

The Wants of Cassiar---How a Miner Had His Eye Sight Restored.

The first arrival at the Driard Hotel yesterday was Geo. S. McTavish, of Cassiar, one of the best posted men on that important portion of the province. He crossed the country to McDames Creek to Wrangle on snowshoes, joined the City of Topeka and arrived at Port Townsend on Tuesday. He came over here on Tuesday night. To a TIMES reporter he said there was not much doing in Cassiar this winter, in fact many of the creeks were deserted by even the Chinese miners which of course means that they have been pretty well cleaned out.

The only hope for the future prospects of Cassiar rests with the Provincial Government. If Cassiar is to remain a mining district, a trail must be built from Telegraph Creek to Tackoo Lake through the Tackoo country which is known to be rich but which is not worked on account of there being no convenient way to get into it. The miners all recognize this fact and before Mr. McTavish left many of them spoke to him in regard to it. He will lay the matter before Mr. Hall, the member for Cassiar, who, it is expected, will be able to induce the Government to do something in the matter. If not successful, the miners will petition for it.

Mr. McTavish, in speaking of an accident to a miner named Ferguson, said that the recovery of that gentleman was wonderful. He lost one hand and was blinded by an explosion in the interior. He started down the river in a canoe for medical attendance. On the way the canoe was upset and Ferguson, with the other occupants, was turned out into the river. When he came to the surface he could see, the shock having restored his eyesight.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES.

The Catholic and Episcopal Churches are Honoring the Season.

In the Roman Catholic Cathedral this morning at 9, special service with celebration of pontifical high mass was held, a large congregation being present. The ceremony of blessing the holy oil of baptism, confirmation, etc., was also performed. This evening at 7:30 there will be a special service, and the office of the tenebrae. To-morrow, Good Friday, service will be held at 9 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m, with a sermon appropriate to the solemn occasion.

In Christ Church Cathedral there was a good attendance at the 11 a.m. Maundy Thursday service, when an address was delivered bearing upon the season now being celebrated. This evening, at 8 o'clock, service will be held, at which another address is to be delivered. To-morrow services will be held at 10 a.m., for children; at 11 morning prayer and sermon; 2 p.m., three hours' devotion; 7:30, evensong and sermon.

At St. Saviour's Church, Victoria West, special services were held to-day; to-morrow they will be held at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., when the story of the cross is to be given.

All the Catholic and Episcopal churches will hold grand special services on Easter Sunday evening, the churches being beautifully decorated with flowers for the occasion and music suitable to the time rendered.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Nelson Bennett, of Tacoma, is at the Driard.

H. J. Scott, of the Hamilton Powder Company, returned from Nelson last evening.

L. J. Tulloch, of the Corinne Opera Company, is in the city arranging for the appearance of his company on the 19th and 20th instant.

M. Lenz, Mrs. Lenz and Misses Leiser returned last evening from a trip to Europe. The latter have been attending school in Germany.

Miss Flora Meiss, who is attending the Annie Wright Seminary at Tacoma, has returned to Victoria to spend the Easter vacation at home.

Unsettled Brazil.

RIO JANEIRO, April 14.—There was a manifestation last Sunday in favor of ex-dictator Da Fonseca, now in prison. Admiral Wadonkoik, who was formerly Minister of Marine, has disappeared, and there is much mystery concerning his disappearance.

A beautiful line of sash curtains in art shades at Spencer's Arcade.

CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire From All Parts of the Dominion.

The ferry steamer has started running in Montreal harbor, this is eight days earlier than last year.

In the Ontario Assembly the item granting an increase of $2000 to the Attorney-General's salary passed unanimously.

The bill providing for a plebisite at the next general provincial election on prohibition, has passed the Manitoba Legislature.

It is rumored that Adam Brown, ex-M. P. for Hamilton, will be appointed vice-president of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company.

The London Liberals have allowed the time for entering a protest against Hon. Mr. Carling's election to expire without entering an action.

Thos. Reynolds, the late quartermaster of H.M.S. Cherokee, died at Peterboro, aged 83. He took part as a seaman in the suppression of the rebellion in 1837.

An inquest will be held on the death of Richard Wigmore, of Dummer township, whose body was found a couple of weeks ago floating in the river at Peterboro. The relatives suspect foul play.

Shippers claim that the port charges at Montreal are much higher than those at American ports. The Montreal Board of Trade has taken the matter up and will endeavor to have the charges reduced.

Edward Hanlan has received word that arrangements have been completed, and the articles signed, for the double scull race to take place at Point of Pines. The teams will be Hanlan and O'Connor vs. Hosmer and Teemer.

Mrs. Birks, charged with bigamy, was discharged by the judge at Winnipeg to receive sentence when called upon. Her ignorance of the marriage laws, and the weak condition of the woman, received the leniency of the court.

The investigation into charges of road money boodling in Victoria county, Nova Scotia, began yesterday before the Privileges committee. The charges cover over 80 cases in connection with the pay sheets, showing expenditures of from $500 to $600.

Judgment has been delivered in the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia in the election case of McGillivray vs. Sir John Thompson. This was a motion to fix a day for trial. The court granted the motion, and fixed the 12th of July as the day for hearing.

Big real estate transactions are getting to be common occurrences in Winnipeg, and remind one of the old timers of boom days. The sales now aggregate $100,000 a day. There has been such activity lately that the real estate owners have advanced prices about twenty per cent.

Two hundred and twenty settlers left Toronto Tuesday night on a colonist excursion to Manitoba and the Northwest. The Canadian Pacific Railway agents report that outside of these excursions many new settlers are going through to the Northwest Territory. They are said to be a superior class.

At yesterday's session of the Court of Queen's Bench in Quebec, Judge Bosse informed ex-Premier Mercier that no proceedings had been entered by the Government against either him or his colleagues, and that no indictments would be passed to the grand jury. Mr. Mercier immediately left for Montreal.

The Great Northwest Central Railway is seeking a loan of $640,000 from the Manitoba Government, secured upon the first hundred miles of road and the Dominion land grant. It is understood that the Government has expressed a willingness to grant the aid of $17,000 per mile for about thirty miles.

Sheriff McLean of Roulette county, Dak., went to Manitoba last week in pursuit of a farmer named Mills, who left Dakota without paying his debts. He located the man and seized his horses. Mills, yesterday, had the Dakota sheriff arrested for theft, and a complicated case will now be presented in the courts.

The general freight agents of the C. P.R. meet in Montreal to consult as to freight rates at which the company will take freight for the Northwest Territories via Owen Sound Monday next, on which day all the boats are expected to be running from that port. The Grand Trunk will also start accepting freight on Monday next.

There has been practically nothing doing in the grain business in Manitoba for some time. There is a great deal of threshing yet to do. It is expected that as soon as navigation opens and seeding is over there will be considerable movement in grain. It is estimated that four or five million of bushels are yet in stock.

A few months ago Messrs. Abbey and Grau brought an opera company to Montreal, and starred Albaini for two nights and Scalchi for one. The latter did not appear, and C. H. St. Louis, who bought two tickets, is suing the local management of the theatre for $6. Should St. Louis win the case, hundreds of suits will at once be entered.

Many of the French Liberals being dissatisfied with the action of La Patrie, in boldly advocating political union with the United States, on the grounds that it will tend to injure Mr. Laurier and the Liberal party in the Dominion, that paper declares that Mr. Laurier has nothing whatever to do with its course, and that its action is entirely without his knowledge.

The annual Regina race meeting will be held August 3, 4 and 5. Three thousand dollars are to be given in prizes. It is expected to be the greatest race meeting ever held in the territories. There are already 17 nominations for the colt race, for which big money will be put up. The great match between Wanda and Molly for $1000 will be run during the same meeting.

On Tuesday another convict endeavored to escape from the Manitoba penitentiary. While in charge of the guard on the grounds he slyly sneaked through the door and crawled through the hole underneath the floor. The alarm bell promptly summoned the assistance of the staff, and after vigorously searching about the building and the surrounding wood for about two hours, the convict was found by a quartette of officers and escorted to his cell. He had in his possession a sharp iron weapon which he evidently intended to utilize in cutting his way out when the opportunity came.

The Toronto city council has decided to adopt electricity in the system of street railways, and a deputation of members was selected for the purpose of enquiring into the working of the different systems in use in the United States. The deputation started yesterday, and during the next two weeks will visit Detroit, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Boston, New York, Washington, Cincinnati, Pittsburg and other places. Their report will govern the system to be worked in Toronto.

Wm. Edgar, general passenger agent of the Grand Trunk Railway, who died yesterday morning, recently contracted a severe attack of grip, and going out too soon after, he caught a severe cold, which, with the complications arising therefrom, caused his death. He had been connected with the railway work of Canada for the past thirty-five years, twenty-five of which were in the service of the old Great Western Railway, now part of the Grand Trunk system, and the remaining ten were spent with the latter company. He succeeded to the position held at his death when Sir Joseph Hickson resigned the general managership of the Grand Trunk.

The C.P.R. colonist train arrived in Montreal from Halifax yesterday with 250 immigrants, from the steamship Sarnia, which arrived in that port on Sunday. There were in the party 86 English immigrants, with a sprinkling of Canadians, bound for Winnipeg and the west, 50 Scandinavians and Germans, whose destination was the Western States, and about 25 English-speaking persons, who will settle in Ontario. The Allan line Peruvian, which follows the Sarnia, has fully 400, of whom 211 will be ticketed through via the C.P.R. The Mongolian has also sailed for Halifax, where she will disembark her passengers, 513 of whom will go west on the C.P.R.

CABLE NOTES.

Crusade Against Anarchists---Prince of Wales' Health---Germany and Russia.

The German Emperor has approved the arrangement that Princess Frederick Charles shall be the patroness of the German woman's department at the Chicago Fair.

LUXEMBURG, April 13.—Two enormous bombs, weighing 45 pounds each, were discovered on the train from Brussels. The object of those who placed them there is unknown.

Hallett Alsop Burrows and Harry Vane Milbank, prominent figures in the Burrows-Drayton scandal, returned to London last evening. They arrived in Liverpool from New York, on the City of Paris.

The Hebrew immigration committee has completed the details of a plan to forward Russian Hebrews to the United States in parties of 100 each. The settlement of Russian Hebrews in the Argentine Republic will be undertaken on a grand scale shortly.

Truth says that a marriage is in prospect between Princess Victoria, second daughter of the Prince and Princess of Wales, and Prince William, son of Adolph, Duke of Nassau and reigning Grand Duke of Luxemburg. Prince William is heir apparent to the grand ducal throne.

It is stated that the illness of De Giers, Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, who has for some time past been suffering from erysipelas in the head, has been aggravated by a very painful ulcer in the ear, resulting in permanent deafness, and his resignation from office is probable.

The statement is made in London that the British Government is seriously considering the advisability of taking vigorous action against the many Anarchists from France and other countries, who are now making London their rendezvous. Proceedings will probably be first taken against the Anarchists' journal, which every week incites its readers to murder and incendiarism.

The European crusade against the anarchists is extending to Russia, where fears are entertained that they will seek refuge by sea. The British consul at Riga, a Baltic port, has warned the British ship owners to instruct their captains to be very careful in selecting crews so as to avoid the possible detention of their vessels at that port by having suspected persons on board.

A great sensation has been caused in Finland by the trial and sentence of the beautiful young widow of Prof. Sainie, of the state college of Finland, for murdering her husband. She is 22 years old, and was married to Prof. Sainie in 1890, and has one child. She appeared to live happily with her husband until she fell in love with a student in the college. The result was that she murdered her husband in order to enjoy, without restrictions, the company of her paramour, the student. She was found guilty and sentenced to be beheaded, the body afterwards to be burned.

A dispatch to the Times from Pekin says that the foreign ministers there recently accepted a compromise proposed by the British minister, the basis of which was that they should attend the emperor's reception if asked, provided the emperor received them in the palace in 1893. A memorandum asking an audience on these terms was presented to the prince of the hung-li-yamen, or foreign office. The memorandum commenced: "Whereas, The sovereigns of the Western states are the equals of his imperial majesty, etc." Having read thus far, the prince of the hung-li-yamen refused to read further, flung the document back and closed the discussion.

The Lancet in an editorial said to be inspired, discusses the rumor in regard to the poor health of the Prince of Wales, and denies the statement that clots of blood have appeared in the veins of the Prince's legs, or that any anxiety is felt on any such account. The writer admits that the Prince suffered from depression of spirits and general weakness until his visit to Riviera, but says that since then he has been in better health and spirits. Prince George, the same article states, has been ailing with insomnia and neuralgia, but is improving. People are commenting dubiously upon the editorial, and the inquiry is commonly made why such an unusual utterance should be thought appropriate, unless there is something serious the matter with the heir-apparent.

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	Ar. 12:45 P M	Ar. 5:55 P M	VICTORIA	78	De. 8:00 A M	De. 2:30 P M	1
	12:30	5:40	RUSSELLS	74	8:04	2:34	4
	12:10	5:19	ESQUIMALT	68	8:14	2:44	11
	11:54	5:04	COLLINSON'S LAKE	63	8:29	3:00	25
	10:50	4:34	COBBLE HILL	53	8:57	3:34	28
	10:37	4:14	McPHERSON'S	48	9:07	4:04	33
	10:17	3:50	KOKSILAH	43	9:30	4:14	40
	10:01	3:31	DUNCAN'S	36	9:57	4:30	43
	9:38	3:12	SOMENOS	30	10:17	4:54	48
	De. 8:31		CHEMAINUS	14	De. 10:48		64
	Ar. 8:25		NANAIMO	0	Ar. 11:50		78
	De. 8:10		WELLINGTON	2	De. 11:59		80
	Ar. 1:30 P M			78	Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 6:20	94

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4:30 p.m.	Ar	Victoria	Lv 8:30 p.m.

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12:30 a.m.	Lv	Pt Madison	Lv 2:10 p.m.
	Lv	Kingston	Lv
3:00 a.m.	Lv	Pt Gamble	Lv 11:00 a.m.
4:00 a.m.	Lv	Pt Ludlow	Lv 10:00 a.m.
6:00 a.m.	Ar	Pt Towns'd	Lv 8:00 a.m.

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8:45 a.m.	Lv	Edmonds	Lv 12:30 p.m.
10:30 a.m.	Lv	Muckilteo	Lv 10:45 a.m.
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12:00 m.	Lv	Marysville	Lv 9:30 a.m.
2:00 p.m.	Lv	Lowell	Lv 8:00 a.m.
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From the Nelson Miner.]

Postoffice Inspector Fletcher is expected in shortly to establish a money order at Nelson.

There is no regular mail service at present up Toad mountain. Mr. Malloy is away up Slocan, and the journey over the trail at present is no fun.

Government agent Fitzstubbs has gone to Kaslo to investigate the claims of the people there for a trail to the mines.

The town lots in the Hoover addition owned by the Vancouver syndicate have been removed from the market; they are expected to be on sale again by the 1st of June.

The bank of Montreal has removed to its permanent office in the Mara building on the corner of Stanley and Baker streets.

John F. Ward, the pioneer hotel man of Nelson, has announced his intention of putting up a first-class house on his property on the corner of Ward and Vernon streets.

The marked map of Nelson that has just been issued showing the lots that are to be sold at the coming Government sale reveals a sad state of affairs for intending investors. With the exception of about half a dozen good lots there is not one that is fit for anything but a toboggan slide or a granite quarry.

The bank rate of exchange in Nelson has been reduced from a half to a quarter of one per cent.

There have been two or three flurries of snow in Nelson this week, and the weather is once more decidedly chilly.

John Scooley has resigned as constable on account of a difference with Napoleon Fitzstubs. Mr. Fitzstubs will find it no easy task to get as good a successor

A few small real estate transactions have taken place in Nelson during the past week. J. McLeary sold lot 6 in block 6, a 30-foot on Baker street, to J. R. Robertson, a Victoria capitalist, who paid $1100 for it. Mr. McLeary, the same day, paid J. H. Matheson $1050 for the east half (25 feet) of lot 5" in block 1 on Vernon street. "Jem Bell has sold lot 2 in block 6, on Baker street for $1600 cash. Richard Blundell was the purchaser. "Tom" McGovern has sold lot 8 in block 8 (30 ft.) on East Baker street, to W. H. Redmond, commercial traveller for Ames, Holden & Co; consideration—sufficient to compensate him for his losses in the Spokane National Bank failure. Alfred Tregillus sold lot 1 in block 12, a 30-foot corner on Baker and Kootenay streets, for $2000, Richard Blundell being the purchaser.

The residents around Slocan Lake are petitioning the Government to survey the townsite and put some lots on the market. From present indications it would appear that the trouble of town lots in Nelson in its early years is going to be repeated in the Slocan. Not until they had been hounded and worried by an indignant populace here, did the Provincial Government recognize the rights of pioneers in the Slocan country to the lands they had staked. And when finally it was announced that the applications would be granted, it was also announced that, for no stated reason, one of the best sites for a town had been reserved. This being the case, the people who are now settling on Slocan Lake are very naturally loating on the Government townsite at Carpenter Creek, and are anxious to secure title to the parcels of ground on which they are erecting their buildings. But, of course, this cannot be procured; nor can any information as to when, how, where, at what price, upon what terms or under what conditions, the lots there will be sold. The Commissioner of Lands and Works has not even deigned to inform the public when the ground will be surveyed, and thus remove any doubts they may have as to where to put up a building to avoid being in the centre of a thoroughfare. As a natural consequence to this arbitary treatment many are deterred from entering the district, and those who have already gone there are afraid to invest much money in improvements on land to which they have no title. And thus the Slocan country is being harassed by a series of puerile vacillations worse than ever incensed the people of Nelson. All this could be avoided by an official announcement when the site would be surveyed and the particulars of the first sale; and it would be nothing more than fair for the Commissioner of Lands and Works to comply with the request that is being forwarded to him by the people of that section. What with the land policy of the Provincial Legislature on the one side and the railway policy of the Dominion Parliament on the other, the people of the Kootenay Lake country are between the devil and the deep sea.

The treacherous waters of Kootenay Lake added two more to its list of victims on Sunday afternoon last; and Mrs. George Woods and her adopted child, Miss Edith Holden, are missed from the circle of Nelson's respected residents. It appears that Mr. and Mrs. Woods, accompanied by the child, started out in a row boat on Sunday morning to go up the river on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Shannon who are living near Hamilton point. They arrived safely and after a pleasant visit started out to return home early in the afternoon intending to get the benefit of the breeze that was blowing down the lake. They had not got very far on their journey, when a gust of wind, rushing down one of the numerous gullies, struck the boat, which was unfortunately fastened to the gunwale, and before anything could be done, had capsized the boat, throwing the occupants instantly into the water. The child was never seen again. Mr. Woods, having climbed on top of the overturned boat, endeavored to raise his wife from the water but before he was able to do so, she had expired and sunk, leaving him so exhausted and benumbed that it was with the greatest difficulty that the shore was reached. Here he realized that he was too weak to walk and was slowly crawling along on his hands and knees when he was picked up by John Holzeten and brought to Nelson in a very precarious condition. Search parties have been looking for the bodies all the week, but so far their efforts have been unsuccessful. Mr. Woods is able to be around once more, but is extremely weak. Mrs. Woods (nee McDermot) was a native of Elgin county, Ontario, and had been a resident in Nelson for two years; their adopted child was the youngest daughter of Isaac Holden of this place. Great sympathy is expressed in town for the bereaved husband and father.

Two shifts of men continue development work on the main tunnel of the Silver King, which is now in 854 feet, about 1½ feet being driven per day. The character of the ore remains unchanged. John McDonald, the secretary, left on Tuesday for Spokane Falls to receive instructions from H. E. Croasdaile as to the contemplated increase of the working force.

Within 15 minutes of the alarm of fire being given early last Thursday morning, half of the inhabitants of Nelson were congregated around the consuming mass of timbers which an hour before had represented Carney & Barret's store on East Baker street. It appears that a few gunny sacks thrown around the stove-pipe had got alight and thus set fire to the entire building, and before the alarm could be given and the fire company could get to work the fire in the store was beyond control. After a hard fight by the fire brigade, who fought like Trojans, the barn was saved from the flames, but when Carney and Barrett arrived on Thursday's boat from Ainsworth, all they could see of their building was a smouldering mass of ruins. Everything, including the books, perished in the flames. The loss, which is estimated at between $7000 and $8000, is covered by $5000 insurance in the Citizens and Quebec companies. Messrs. Carney & Barrett announce themselves as very grateful for the assistance rendered by the fire brigade. They are making preparations to rebuild as soon as the site can be cleared.

William Hunter, who keeps the pioneer store at Eldorado, is down from Slocan lake. He says an attempt is being made to get Government aid to build a trail from Carpenter Creek to the forks; and that five men are at present at work on the old trail up the river, with the promise from the Government agent of an increased force as soon as practicable. It is useless for prospectors to rush into the Slocan country at present, for it will be impossible to get on to the hills before the middle of May. A delegation is coming to Nelson to endeavor to get mail facilities from the post office inspector when he arrives. God help them!

The long negotiated sale of the townsite of Balfour, on the outlet of the Kootenay lake, has been consummated through Pemberton & Son, of Victoria, C. W. Busk receiving for his right, title and interest in the unsold portion of the town lots the sum of $9000 cash. Mr. Busk reserved for himself the four-acre patch on which his house stands; and he will supply deeds to those who have paid a deposit on lots on receipt of the final payments. A Nelson business man has purchased the Balfour store and merchandise, and will take possession as soon as Mr. Busk returns from Victoria.

Although the last telegraphic dispatches from Ottawa announced it as extremely probable that the petition of the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway Company for a Dominion charter would be thrown out by the Railway committee, yet the prospect of the road being built this year is almost a certainty. D. C. Corbin, president of the Spokane Falls & Northern, has decisively stated that whether or not they were able to procure a charter with the subsidy of $3200 a mile attached the promoters of the road would build this year if they could get the land grant of 10,000 acres per mile from the Provincial Legislature.

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"THE BAR OF THE HOUSE."

When the report came from Westminster that the Kennedys had gone across the line to evade the Speaker's summons to appear before the bar of the House, it looked as though they had shown the white feather and were not prepared to fight the matter out as bravely as they had promised to do. Later developments have gone to show, however, that their action was not due to cowardice, but was taken with the object of foiling suspected treachery on the part of the Government. It has been asserted, without contradiction so far, that the officer who went from here to "summon" the Kennedys carried a warrant for their arrest, a proceeding for which there appears to be no justification. If the statement is true it but affords another evidence that the Government is in this case actuated by a desire to persecute political opponents and not by any regard for the "dignity" of the House. In the absence of a Supreme Court judge the Kennedys would have been unable to offer a legal resistance to the arbitrary action of the Attorney-General, and no one will condemn them for evading arrest rather than offer resistance of another kind. They have the right to choose their own fighting ground, no matter what the Government and its servile partisans have to say. There seems to be no doubt that the publishers of the Columbian are prepared to fight the matter out, and in their contest they will have the sympathy and support of every reasonable man in the province,—of every lover of popular liberty. The Government and those who have blindly followed it see this plainly enough; they realise the unpopularity of their course, and are no doubt at this moment wishing themselves well out of the contest in which they so fatuously engaged. Whether or not the court sustains the action which the Government induced the House to take, the Ministers will gain nothing but opprobrium from their attempt to throttle an independent newspaper and take away the right of free speech.

It is noticeable that even the Colonist, though always anxious to uphold the Government, offers only a half-hearted defence for its action in this case. It mildly recommends the Kennedys to submit to what it calls the "law of the land." As the Kennedys and many others refuse to regard the House as acting in accordance with the law of the land it need not surprise the Colonist to see its advice rejected. The famous utterance of Junius, seems to fit this case: "The subject who is truly loyal to the Chief Magistrate will neither advise nor submit to arbitrary measures." No other legislative body in Canada would dream of pursuing newspaper publishers as the British Columbia Assembly is pursuing the Kennedys; the British House of Commons itself would not venture to act so arbitrarily. Even if there were no doubt as to the power of the House, its course cannot be defended on the ground of expediency.

The position of the Imperial House of Commons in regard to the Hood episode should be instructive to the local Assembly. That was a case in which the powers of the House to punish infractions of its privileges should have been exercised to the full, if ever there was such a case. Hood was dismissed by the directors of a railway because of evidence given before a committee of the Commons, yet the offenders were let off with a mild reprimand. The majority of the House, including Mr. Gladstone, even refused to accept an amendment requiring Hood to be reinstated before the apology of the directors should be accepted. The mildness of the punishment inflicted was evidently due to a feeling that it would be unwise to push the House's powers of punishment too far, and thus incur the danger of a reaction in public opinion. When the British House of Commons was so moderate in the exercise of a power which it claims to hold, the Assembly of this Province would surely do well to act circumspectly in a case where the offence alleged would never have been taken notice of in England. The Government and its subservient majority will find that they are playing a losing game in endeavoring to strain the powers of the Assembly for purposes of persecution.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

There seems to have been no good foundation for the rumor that the Legislature was adjourned in order to allow time for the settlement of the feud among the woolly hunters.

An Ottawa dispatch reports it is probable that Mr. Edgar's motion re the Caron case will be voted down, and that Sir Adolphe will then ask for an investigation himself, calling on Mr. Edgar to substantiate his charges. Perhaps the Postmaster-General will feel less sore if he is investigated on his own motion than if Mr. Edgar's resolution were to prevail, but why this should be so, unless some trickery is employed for the purpose of hindering the inquiry, ordinary people find it difficult to conjecture. Sir Adolphe claims to be able to refute the charges, and therefore should be ready to meet them before any committee.

Premier Robson is apparently getting ready to retire from the wearying strife of politics to the calmness and seclusion of the lieutenant-governorship. No doubt he will be given the post if he desires it, and it is equally certain that the province will be ready to let him retire. As a figurehead he would be as ornamental as almost anyone else, and the province would be spared from his manipulation of its affairs. Of course the accession of the Attorney-General to the leadership will be disagreeable to many supporters of the Government, but so long as this Government remains in power it does not seem to matter much who is its leader; its rule is mischievous in any event.

The London Liberals have filed no petition against the return of Hon. John Carling, but their failure to do so is no evidence that they admit him to be rightfully elected, though some people seem to think it is. It must be remembered that if a protest were entered, the election court would not have power to review Judge Elliott's decision on the voters' list. There is, in fact, no appeal from his unjust judgment, and the bogus names must therefore remain on the list. It is natural that under these circumstances the Liberals should not deem it worth while to protest the election. "Honest John" Carling will therefore continue to occupy a seat which is not his by right, and thus help to strengthen the conviction that "Honest John" as a politician's title is anything but a certificate of honesty.

Senator Boulton has followed up his free trade speech in the Senate by addressing an open letter on the subject to the Hon. Mr. Laurier. The senator is among those Conservatives who have been convinced by the evidence of the census and the logic of events generally that the policy of restricting trade is a failure. He is satisfied that Canada cannot make substantial progress under "protection," but he does not favor unrestricted reciprocity as a remedy. His proposal is to try absolute free trade, as Great Britain has done, and he believes that Canada's geographical position and resources should make the system a success. The Senator asks if the people of Great Britain can force the products of their industry on the world's markets, irrespective of hostile tariffs, why cannot Canadians? Britain last year purchased in addition to her own production $200,000,000 of grain, $100,000,000 of dead meats, $120,000,000 of dairy product and $40,000,000 of live animals, and a commercial policy that enables a nation to purchase food on such a scale must have great elements of strength in it. If there is anything, says the Senator, that will bring back our Canadian population, or keep them with us, it is the adoption of a policy that has the elements of self reliance, of independence, and of courage in it. "In adopting the principle of free trade, you would not be trying an experiment of doubtful results. In making a fresh departure in our political life that will stamp its mark upon the history of our country, you will, I believe, have the chivalry of Canada at your back, for you will be drawing closer these bonds of union with Great Britain which it is so essentially our interest to maintain." It is not likely that Senator Boulton will induce the country to adopt his idea, but his breaking away from the protectionist idea is significant as an indication of discontent in the Conservative ranks.

Bragg's Command.

General Bragg was one of the most rigid disciplinarians in either army during what some one has euphoniously called "the recent unpleasantness."

When the Confederates retreated from Murfreesboro after the battle of Stone River, the private soldiers were somewhat demoralized, but not so much so as to lose sight of any little chance to add to the comfort of a march that would have been trying under any circumstances.

One of these soldiers, a ragged Texan named Bridger, found an old mule in the woods, and extemporizing a halter he mounted the creature and went on with the line, envied by his less fortunate comrades.

With his long hair, long legs, corncob pipe and air of perfect content the Texan was a picture that made the weariest and the hungriest laugh.

While thus working his passage with the loose end of the halter, a company of bestarred and bespangled horsemen—General Bragg and his staff—rode up and were about to pass on, when the unusual appearance of the Texan on the mule attracted their notice. He, however, did not seem to see or heed them, but smoked on and whacked the mule with an air of careless indifference.

With his bushy brows lowering over his fierce, black eyes, General Bragg looked at the man and demanded:

"Who are you, sir?"

Without looking at his questioner, the man freed his mouth from a cloud of smoke, kicked the mule and replied:

"Nobody."

"Where did you come from?" was the next question.

"Nowhere."

"Where are you going?"

"Don't know, do you?"

"Where do you belong?"

"Don't belong nowhere."

"Are you sure?"

"Sartin."

"Don't you belong to Bragg's army?"

"Bragg's army! Bragg's army!" grunted the Texan. "W'y, Bragg ain't got no army! One-half of it he shot in Kaintuck jest for foragin, and the other half's jest been whipped to death at Murfreesboro."

General Bragg asked no more questions, but turned and spurred away.

A Modest Request.

We called him "Handsome Dick," but it would be a great error to infer from this that Lieutenant Fletcher was not as brave a fellow as ever drew a sword. He was quick witted, and his admiration for a pretty woman knew no limit.

In the assault on the Crater before Petersburg, Fletcher, who was one of the first men inside the enemy's works, was desperately wounded and carried back.

The doctors expected him to die within twenty-four hours, but as he stubbornly persisted in living he was shipped to City Point, and from thence forwarded to a hospital in West Philadelphia.

This hospital was daily visited by numbers of sweet faced, pious Quaker girls, and that their presence did the men good there can be no doubt.

One day a beautiful girl, dressed in sober gray and looking like an angel here on a brief visit, was distributing flowers to the wounded men, when, as she neared Fletcher's cot, she heard him cry out impatiently:

"O Lord! this is blanked hard!"

Hurrying to his side, to give him flowers and gently to rebuke his profanity, she said:

"I think I heard thee call upon the name of the Lord. I am one of his daughters. Is there anything I can ask him for thee?"

One glance at the lovely face and Fletcher replied on the instant:

"Yes; please ask him to make me his son-in-law."

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Two Cars of Horses.

Watch for the great auction sale of thoroughbreds on Saturday April 16th at 1 o'clock p.m. James Mortimer, auctioneer. *

Eat the Best.

Another consignment of Gilt Edge hams, mild California cheese, and Breakfast Gem at J. P. Matthews & Co., corner of Fort and Douglas St. *

Ice Machinery.

The Victoria brewery's ice machinery was placed in position yesterday and before the really warm weather comes, the firm will be supplying the city with ice.

Easter Holidays.

The children of the public school were dismissed this afternoon till Tuesday morning. While they are enjoying themselves the janitors will be at work giving the school rooms a spring cleaning.

Opened.

The British Columbia Medico-Electric Institute and Turkish Baths, corner of Broad and Yates street, are again in full operation with Dr. W. E. Bergman as manager. The baths are open from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. *

Hard on Hats.

The vigorous wind storm this morning was rather hard on head gear. Many a hat rolled around the streets and more than one was blown from the heads of pedestrians crossing James Bay, and had to be fished out of the briny.

No Paper To-Morrow.

To-morrow will be Good Friday, and according to a custom, fast becoming antiquated with most metropolitan newspapers, the printers of Victoria insist upon taking a holiday. Consequently there will be no issue of the TIMES to-morrow evening.

A Dangerous Verandah.

The verandah around the building at the corner of Broad and View streets is dangerous and the least little wind is sure to bring it down, perhaps on the head of some one. One of the posts was knocked from under it last evening.

Will Attend in a Body.

The Knights of Pythias have had a large portion of the parquette at the Victoria Theatre reserved for members of the order, who will, tomorrow evening attend the play Damon and Pythias to be presented by Frederick Ward.

Sworn In.

Ald. Bragg was sworn in this morning by Mr. Justice Drake. In administering the oath the judge expressed his pleasure at the election of Mr. Bragg, whose practical knowledge, he thought, would assist him in the proper discharge of his duties as an alderman.

An Old Land Mark.

An old Indian woman who could remember well the time when there were no white men in British Columbia, died at Esquimalt several days ago and was buried there yesterday, the funeral being very largely attended. The woman was 70 years of age and a member of the Songish tribe.

For Northern Ports.

The steamer Danube, Captain Meyer, will sail for northern ports to-morrow evening with a heavy freight and a number of passengers, among whom are the following: T. C. Rymont, Mrs. Carthew, A. Robertson, Geo. S. Dutchoe, Mrs. and Miss Lockerby, Mr. Bullen and H. M. Price.

A Raymond Party Here.

The first party of Raymond excursionists of the season arrived over from the Sound on the City of Kingston this evening and registered at the Driard. There are 45 ladies and gentlemen in the party in charge of Henry Chyons, assisted by F. Simmonds. The party will spend all day to-morrow seeing the sights around the city.

Will He Come Back Again?

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Wm. Hill, who a month or so ago, was convicted at the police court of carrying on business as solicitor for an eastern tailoring firm without a license, and against whom a $50 penalty was entered. Hill has not been in the city since, but should he come he will be promptly called upon to pay the $50.

The Cowie Assault Case Appealed.

Messrs. Bodwell & Irving yesterday gave notice of appeal from the decision of Magistrates Ward and Shakespeare in the case of James Cowie for assault tried at the police court yesterday and resulting in the defendant being sent to jail for two months. Cowie was released from custody in the evening on his own recognizance in $500 and two sureties of $250 each. The case will be tried before a County Court judge on appeal.

The Police Court.

James Eckersly was arraigned before Magistrates Ward and Shakespeare at the Police Court this morning, charged by Chief Deasy, of the Victoria Fire Department, with driving over hose so as to injure the same. The defendant pleaded guilty, but protested that it was dark and he had stopped as soon as he found he drove over the hose. It was shown, however, that the defendant had not stopped when ordered to, and had driven over and broken a coupling after crossing the hose twice. The court gave Eckersley a lecture and imposed a penalty of $5. Two drunks were each assessed $5.

In Business for Himself.

Mr. A. Engelhardt, who for three years past has occupied the position of assistant in the Northern Pacific Railway office, managing the express department, to-day resigned his position and will to-morrow take charge of the customs' broker business formerly carried on by his father, the late J. E. F. Engelhardt. With his long experience with express business which, of course, means lots of custom house work, Mr. Engelhardt is sure to make a success of the business he is taking charge of. Mr. Chas. Bunting, for many years in the Union Pacific office, will take the position vacated by Mr. Engelhardt in the N.P.R. office.

New Goods.

Glasgow beef ham, Atlantic dulse, eastern apples, Norwegian smoked herrings and anchovies at R. H. Jamesons, Red Front, 33 Fort street. *

All kinds of cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

Called on the Governor.

Commander C. S. Cotton and Ensign Harrison, of the United States steamer Mohican, to-day called on Lieutenant-Governor Nelson at Carey Castle.

Wanted

A good live man to start a general store in Barclay. Liberal inducements offered by the company. Apply at once to P. C. MacGregor, secretary, 18 Trounce avenue. *

The Chief Justice.

The Chief Justice spent the first day of the vacation in fishing. With the aid of counsel he succeeded in fishing out a good basketful of evidence in the case of Earle vs. the City of Victoria.

Seal Skins Go Up.

Mr. C. D. Ladd, of San Francisco, last evening purchased most of the seal skins now in Victoria at $12 each. The lot consists of about 3000 skins caught by part of the sealing fleet down the coast. The price paid was quite an advance on what had been expected during the past week.

Earle vs. the Corporation.

This case was called in the County Court this morning, Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Chief Justice, presiding. Mr. Gregory of the firm of Belyea & Gregory raised an objection to the tramway company being made a third party to the action on various grounds and he was sustained in his contention by the Chief Justice after long arguments by opposing counsel and numerous authorities had been quoted. In the afternoon the court began to hear the evidence and as there are numbers of witnesses to be examined it may be some time before a decision is arrived at.

A Day of Enjoyment.

The programme for the Easter Monday celebration at Jockey Club grounds is varied and interesting enough to attract all classes of pleasure seekers; the good things it contains may be discovered by glancing over the advertisement appearing in this issue. It will be a pleasing intermixture of music, instrumental and vocal, with feats of skill, strength and agility. The names of those who are to participate is ample guarantee of the high excellence which will mark the entertainment. The price of admission has been placed at a figure within the reach of the poorest. With fine weather the Jockey Club grounds should present a happy scene on Monday.

Captain Munroe's Death.

Captain Daniel Munroe, a native of Pictou, Nova Scotia, aged 51 years, who has been ill for some time past, died at his residence, 239 Johnson street, this morning. Deceased was around as usual day before yesterday, and his death was wholly unexpected, although he had been very sick. He came to Victoria nine years ago and for some time was in the C.P.N. Company's service. He also commanded the schooners Favorite and Forward, and later was on the steamer Lottie. The new steamer Sadie was partly owned by him. For many years before coming to Victoria he sailed out of New Glasgow in charge of a vessel. The funeral will take place on Saturday from the family residence, 239 Johnson street, at 2:30, and at 3 o'clock from the First Presbyterian Church.

Olden Times.

Just 26 years ago to-day, April 14th, 1866, the staunch old side-wheel steamer Labouchere was totally wrecked off Point Reyes, while on her way to Victoria with mails, freight and passengers. She was one of the strongest built vessels afloat and was to have been run regularly in the trade between Victoria and San Francisco, having secured the mail contract. Point Reyes, where she struck, was then unlighted, but the U. S. Government have now placed a fine lighthouse on the point. At that time six days was considered an average trip and four days a very quick one. Owing to the vast improvements since made in steam engineering and machinery, that is all changed now and ocean greyhounds are now quite common. But very few of the crew or passengers of the Labouchere are left now and each passing year makes the roll smaller.

The Lion's Mouth.

The great actor Frederick Warde appears to-night at the Victoria theatre in Henry Guy Carleton's play, The Lion's Mouth, of which the Minneapolis Tribune says: "In these money-grabbing, prosaic, practical days when theatre-goers actually boast of their inability to appreciate Shakesperian plays, the production of a blank verse play written by an American is an event that commands serious attention and admiration, if the play be worthy. "The Lion's Mouth" is worthy. Those who witnessed the performance at the Lyceum Theatre last night could not question that. Neither could anyone capable of estimating the value of a literary and dramatic work help but feel proud of Henry Guy Carleton, the author, and grateful toward Frederick Warde, the actor, the one for writing and the other for producing this play."

Mr. David P. Talbot, Mr. Warde's representative, arrived last night and is busy to-day making preparations for staging this great play. Warde plays Damon and Pythias to-morrow night.

FROM THE FAR SOUTH.

H. M. S. Melpomene Arrives From an Interesting Cruise in the South Pacific.

Echoes of the Chilian War---A Magnificent Time Enjoyed in the Sunny South.

H. M. S. Melpomene, Captain Parr, arrived at Esquimalt from Coquimbo, at 10 o'clock this morning. The Melpomene left Esquimalt for the south April 28th, 1891, and has been cruising in South American waters ever since. The trip, as described by one of her officers to a TIMES respresentative this morning, was, as that gallant gentleman termed it, a magnificent one. When the Melpomene reached the Chilian coast the dogs of war were loose and raising any amount of disturbance ashore. While in the neighborhood of Valparaiso many exciting events were witnessed both on land and sea. After the battles of Concon and Vina del Mar the commander-in-chief of the Chilian forces came aboard, accompanied by his staff, and a council of war was held. These officers accompanied the ship to Coquimbo. At Valparaiso, when the ships of the insurgent navy entered the harbor, the governor of Coquimbo and the generals of the Balmacedist troops came aboard, seeking protection, and remained on board a week. They were then transferred to H. M. S. Liffey and went north, the governor in the disguise of a *marinero* or sailor, with false whiskers, wig and other accoutrements. The Melpomene was present at Iquique when General Cavalho was captured by the insurgents and sent to the dungeon. He remained there a month, undergoing rather rough treatment from his captors.

During the troublous times in Chile keen watch was maintained upon all vessels, whether merchantmen or of war. One steamer refused to obey the signal to heave to when off the Chilean coast, but a shot across her bows altered the determination of her commander rather suddenly, and all questions were politely answered. The famous Valparaiso correspondent who sent the accounts of the Chilean war all over the world, made himself acquainted with the ship's officers. He is an American and one of the boldest and most talented liars the States ever produced. His magnificent imagination kept a whole continent in breathless interest over events which had no foundation whatever except in the gorgeous kaleidoscope of his mendacious intellect. His yarns easily eclipsed those of the justly-celebrated Ottawa liar, and besides, he had a monopoly and could not be contradicted unless at enormous expense and great trouble. Like most liars of genius he is possessed of quiet, gentlemanly manners, and an air of truth clothes him like a garment.

The murder of the United States steamer Baltimore's sailors at Valparaiso caused a tremendous furore at the time, but not nearly so much as was reported in the American papers. The Chileans generally did not seem to fear trouble with the United States. They do not seem to think very highly of the American navy.

At Coquimbo small-pox was raging and intense excitement prevailed. No leave was permitted from the Melpomene while she was in this port. The accounts of the epidemic showed that it had made great ravages among the inhabitants.

A telegram from England, received while the ship lay at Valparaiso, ordered the Melpomene to proceed at once to the islands of Juan Fernandez and Mas-a-fuero to assist a steamer which was reported ashore there. When the Melpomene arrived at Juan Fernandez it was learned that the steamer had been towed off safely a fortnight before by a Chilean man-of-war.

Is Juan Fernandez the earthly paradise depicted by Defoe?

I did not see much paradise about it. But is it not one mass of tropical vegetation; the woods filled with beautiful birds and all kinds of animals of the chase?

No, it is not; both it and Mas-a-fuero are covered with short stunted trees and there is not much grass or vegetation of any kind except in the valleys. A Swiss has possession or a lease of Juan Fernandez at present, but he does not seem to make much out of it. The island might do for cattle and sheep pasturing. The only animals there now are goats.

There is an individual on Juan Fernandez who bears a startling resemblance to the original Robinson Crusoe, Alexander Selkirk. He wears neither shoes nor stockings and goes bareheaded, having a very wild appearance. When he heard that the present of one of the goats to be seen scampering about the cliffs would be acceptable, he set off and scoured the hills until he caught one, showing marvellous fleetness of foot and skill in climbing the dangerous precipices. The goat was brought north on the Melpomene and is a great pet. He is a little fellow with a coffee-coiored coat and sprouting horns, and takes his own part in a butting match with any of the crew in a way that proves him to be a very game little goat. He was lunching off an old newspaper this morning when the TIMES man was aboard, the process of mastication appearing to afford the goat considerable enjoyment.

The officers and crew had a great night at Acapulco on the way north. All the dignitaries and grandees of the place came on board in state and were hospitably entertained. The night was one of those magnificent tropical ones without a moon, so that the ship's electric search lights appeared to full advantage as they swept the harbor to the amazement of the onlookers. The bluejackets and marines entertained the visitors by dancing hornpipes, jigs and reels, to the alternate music of band, violin and bagpipes, the latter played in splendid style by one of the ship's officers. The bagpipe music astonished the visitors, most of them seeming to enjoy it very much. The festivities were maintained with great spirit until daybreak, the dons and their ladies departing highly gratified with the reception they had met.

The original intention was to proceed north slowly but a telegram received while the ship lay at a little port north of Coquimbo required the ship's immediate presence in Esquimalt harbor. The Melpomene was waiting the arrival of the Garnet, but left before she arrived. The run north was made in fine time and in very favorable weather except the last three days while passing the Oregon and Washington coasts. Brief stops were made at Acapulco, Callao, Lima, Panama, Mazatlan, etc. The Melpomene will probably remain at Esquimalt for a few months, although nothing definite on this score could be learned so soon after her arrival. The health of the ship's company was excellent throughout the trip.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The yatch Casco dragged her anchor this morning and came within an ace of being blown on the rocks.

The U. S. steamers Adams and Patterson left San Francisco yesterday on a voyage to Behring Sea. The steamer Ivy came down from Mare Island in the morning, loaded with stores, and as soon as these were taken on board the Adams began to get under way. The Patterson soon followed her, and the last seen of the two vessels they were heading away to the northwest in company. The United States revenue cutter Richard Rush will go to the Green street wharf to morrow to coal. No orders have yet been received regarding the future movements, but it is almost certain that she will go to Behring Sea.

Easter Monday.

At a meeting held yesterday the committee on the W.C.T.U. apron sale and promenade concert reported that the arrangements were completed for a first-class time. It has been arranged to have "Old Curiosity Shop," besides several other attractions. Refreshments will be served from 5 o'clock. Many have already expressed their intention of taking tea with the ladies. An enjoyable evening will be given in the musical line. The admission is free, and it is hoped many will patronize the social.

Changed the Time.

Attention is called to the change in the sailing of the steamers Maude and Danube. To-morrow, the usual sailing day, being Good Friday, the management decided to postpone the sailings until Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock to suit the public convenience.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

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The Smith Case to be Examined---More Funds Asked for the Sewerage Works.

City council met last night in their regular weekly session for the transaction of business. There were present Mayor Beaven, Ald. McKillican, Munn, Lovell, Hall, Styles, Humber, Baker.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Thomas Hooper, applying for a sidewalk for Mr. J. Narbonne's building. Street committee to report.

From A. E. Wilmot, city engineer, saying that it would be necessary for him to have a fully qualified assistant surveyor, also a clerk for the office. He mentioned for the position of assistant surveyor Mr. T. Mathews, ex-assistant surveyor. Laid over to be taken up in a motion which had been advertised.

From B. Williams, secretary of the school trustees, respecting a fund for furnishing a gymnasium for the High and Central Schools and stating what had been done with the money. He asks for the pass book for the money now in the Dominion Savings Bank, as everything is now ready for going forward with the furnishing of the said gymnasium. Request granted.

From Arthur S. Smith, Deputy Attorney General, enclosing copy of a letter from Charles Smith regarding his arrest by the chief of police and subsequent conveyance across the boundary line. The attorney general thinks that a serious outrage had been committed, and asks if the case will be investigated. The letter states that Smith was arrested in Washington State for having opium upon his person and sentenced to one year in Stilacoom penitentiary, from which he escaped to British soil. He thought that his right as a British subject had been violated and the British flag insulted.

Ald. Lovell advised that nothing be done with the matter. Smith evidently thought it very convenient to call himself a British subject after he had committed a crime on American soil. To notice this case would be establishing a precedent.

Ald. Baker wanted the matter referred to the chief of police, as he was likely to know more about it than anybody else, and it would cost less.

Ald. Munn said the charge was a very serious one; it was practically one of "shanghaing."

Referred to the police committee to investigate and report.

From J. P. Matthews, asking a settlement of the account of his father, an employe of the corporation, up to the time of his death. Referred to the finance committee to report.

Ald. Humber—Speaking with all due respect to the dead, I don't see why they should come up and threaten us with legal proceedings if we don't pay up. I'm sick of these threats; we've had enough of them. It is time they knew this council are not afraid of legal proceedings as if that should frighten us. Persons under suspension received no salary and Mr. Mathews was not reappointed up to the time of his death.

From John Ferguson, complaining of boxes and barrels piled up on the street by the Albion Iron Works and asking redress. Referred to the police committee for report.

Ald. Humber said this man was trying to worry the council, but he could not do it. He would never die until he died like a rat. (Laughter.) There were others who did the same thing, he would mention no names (but looked very hard at Ald. McKillican). These factories should have some privileges, they were a benefit to the city. He moved that the communication be received and filed. (Applause from the large audience.) Referred to the police committee.

April 13, 1892.

To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN,—I have been instructed by the Sewerage Commissioners to respectfully inform you that, in the absence of any information from your honorable body as to further funds being furnished for the prosecution of the sewerage works, the Commissioners will instruct the Engineer to notify Mr. McBean, to-morrow, to complete the work already opened on Government street, as far as Fort; and Douglas street, between View and Yates streets, and perform no other work, except the completion of the outlet work, the built sewers and the Wharf street main.

I have the honor to be,
Your obedient servant,
W. J. DOWLER,
Sec. Sewerage Commissioners.

Several of the aldermen expressed regret that the case stood thus.

Ald. McKillican said he was certain the citizens were in favor of the completion of the scheme, and he would advise an inquiry into the matter to ascertain the amount required to complete the works.

On motion the matter was referred to the sewerage committee, to ascertain from the sanitary engineer the amount required to complete this portion of the system, and to report to the council.

Ald. McKillican further said an unexpectedly large quantity of rock had been met in the work, which had increased the price of the work.

Ald. Humber said he did not believe this council had anything whatever to do with this matter. The work had been begun under the supervision that the council was not to be any further troubled with the matter after the money had been voted. All the small work as ditches, culverts, drains and such truck had been shoved on to him, while the big jobs like the sewerage were taken out of their hands. (Laughter).

From W. K. Bull, reporting the result of the election in Johnson street ward, Mr. Bragg having been duly elected. Received and directed to be entered on the minutes.

From W. W. Northcott, building inspector, stating the various depths of the sewers on the different streets and other statistics thereon, relating to the buildings upon the line of the sewers. On motion resolved that a list of the depths mentioned be furnished to every architect in the city. Carried.

From W. W. Northcott, that the estimate of $350 mentioned by him in a former communication to make the extra assessment was insufficient, and asking a further grant. On motion a further sum of $150 was ordered granted.

From Mr. Mohun, engineer of the sewerage works reporting progress upon the same. Received and filed.

The city clerk made his usual weekly report upon complaints re street repairs and obstructions. Received and filed.

From B. Williams, secretary of the school trustees, calling attention to the crude sewerage in the schools, which is little better than a system of open cess pits. The approach of the warm weather makes them dangerous to health. Referred to the sewerage committee and Sewerage Engineer Mohun to report upon the costs, etc.

From some person whose name could not be deciphered, complaining that there is no sidewalk opposite his building on David street, where one is badly needed. Referred to the street committee.

From John Stevenson, stating that he had lodged an application with the Provincial Secretary for the position of police magistrate, and that it would be referred to the council shortly, hoping the council would consider it favorably, and promising faithful service. Laid on the table.

From H. Saunders and 23 others, residents of Foul bay, calling attention to the rapidly increasing proportions of that locality and asking the extension of the water system. Referred to the water committee to report.

From R. B. McMicking, city electrical engineer, asking more supplies for the electric works, to the amount of about $30. Granted.

The mayor announced that William Goepel and wife and James Johnston, had donated to the city the width of Clarence street, 66 feet, through Beckley farm estate. On motion the clerk was directed to record the same and that the street be taken over in the usual manner.

NEW BUSINESS.

Ald. Hall moved that the mayor be asked to call a public meeting to make arrangements for the celebration of the birthday of her most gracious majesty the Queen. He said this was an event which always did great benefit to Victoria, it brought many people here and was also a good advertisement. It was time to be moving in the matter. He had been led to believe there would be a large number of warships in Esquimault harbor and that they would take part. Every effort should be made to make the celebration this year the finest ever held here. (Applause.)

His Worship said the matter had not been neglected; Victoria was named after her most gracious majesty and had always taken the initiative in this respect. He hoped her majesty would long reign over us. (Hear, hear.) Motion carried.

Ald. Lovell moved the following resolution, seconded by Ald. Munn, that the city surveyor's salary be raised from $90 to not more than $140 per month, and that a clerk also be provided for the office at a sum not to exceed $90 per month.

Ald. Lovell stated that there was a communication from Mr. Wilmot referring to his appointment and also as to his assistant. This was read. Ald. Lovell spoke in favor of Mr. Mathews' appointment to the position.

Ald. Styles asked his worship whether the present procedure of the council in this matter would reduce or increase the expenditure in the city surveyor's office. This was explained to him by his worship. The expenditure will be reduced.

Ald. Baker complained that nothing had been done towards cutting down the salaries. He thought too much was being paid Mr. Wilmot, and that he should either be made city surveyor or water commissioner, it was impossible for one man to do the work of both.

Ald. Munn drew attention to a by-law which deals with persons who make offensive reflections upon members of the council. Speaking to the question, he thought it was absurd to expect any competent man to undertake those responsible positions for less than was offered. The council was proceeding in the right manner now. It could not be done without further expenditure of money. Good men should be obtained who could fulfill all the requirements. He understood that the arrangement with Mr. Wilmot was temporary, but he thought the arrangement would prove satisfactory to the city.

Ald. Hall drew attention to the growing limits of the city and the necessity of the proposed appointments. The resolution carried, Alds. Baker and Styles refusing to vote at first, but finally voting against the resolution.

REPORTS.

The finance committee reported recommending payment of accounts amounting to $1652.67. Adopted.

The finance committee asked confirmation of accounts paid to the amount of $1602.05. Adopted.

The sewerage committee reported that the right of way through the Douglas property was under consideration. Adopted.

Council adjourned at 11:15.

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ATHLETIC EXHIBITION.

The Y. M. C. A. Class Mark the Close of the Indoor Sport Season.

A very interesting event was the athletic exhibition and social given by the gymnasium class of the Y. M. C. A. in the Association Hall last night, to mark the close of the season for indoor sports. There was a good attendance, the fair friends of the performers being well represented in the hall, and the audience was very appreciative. The gymnasium class contributed performances on the rings, parallel and horizontal bars, and also in tumbling, giving gratifying evidence of skill, agility, nerve and strength. The performers were Herb. Roper, Joseph Sharp, Allan Brown, N. Demers, Geo. Tite and A. J. Mallette. Demers' work on the horizontal bar was particularly good, while as an all round acrobat Herb. Roper would be hard to beat. Mr. J. Boyd also gave a good exhibition of club swinging. The athletic events were relieved by a piano duet by Mrs. Drury and Miss Cusack, and banjo and guitar duets by Messrs. McDowell and Booth, which were highly appreciated. Mr. J. A. Dunnett, association travelling secretary for the Northwest, favored the audience with an address on athletic lines. One of the most acceptable features of the entertainment was that given by the ladies—refreshments—which brought the affair to a close. Mr. Teague made a good chairman while Mr. T. R. Cusack filled the bill as gymnasium overseer.

During the athletic performances, the Parfitt brothers' string orchestra supplied excellent music, which helped in making everything go off harmoniously.

CHINESE EXCLUSION.

The Senate Bill Proposed as a Substitute for Geary's Bill.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—A substitute for Representative Geary's bill, recently passed by the House to absolutely prohibit the coming of Chinese into the United States, was reported to the Senate yesterday from the committee on foreign relations. The substitute is practically the bill reported this session from the committee. Its full text is as follows:—

All laws now in force prohibiting and regulating the coming into this country of Chinese persons or persons of Chinese descent are hereby continued in force for a period of 10 years from the passage of this act. Any Chinese persons or persons of Chinese descent when convicted or adjudged to be not lawfully entitled to be or remain in the United States, shall be removed from the United States to China, unless he or they shall make it appear to the justice, judge or commissioner before whom he or they are tried that he or they are subjects or citizens of some other country, in which case he or they shall be removed from the United States to such country; provided that in any case where such country of which such Chinese person shall claim to be a citizen or subject shall demand any tax as condition of the removal of such person to that country, he or they shall be removed to China.

Any Chinese person or person of Chinese descent arrested under the provisions of this act shall be adjudged to be unlawfully within the United States, unless such person shall establish by affirmative proof to the satisfaction of such justice, judge or commissioner, his lawful right to remain in the United States. Any such Chinese person or person of Chinese descent who is convicted and adjudged to be not lawfully entitled to be or remain in the United States, and having once been removed from the United States in pursuance of such conviction, who shall be subsequently convicted for a like offence, shall be imprisoned at hard labor for a period of not exceeding six months, and thereafter removed from the United States, as herein before provided.

The title is amended by striking out the word "absolutely."

Memorial Windows.

Speaking of the five memorial windows for the new Roman Catholic Cathedral in this city the Toronto Globe says: They are really beautiful works of art. The figures are strikingly real and life-like in appearance, while their pose is graceful and wonderfully natural. Handsome borderings and representations of flowers surround the central figures, the rich colors blending or contrasting with the most pleasing effect. The designing and artistic coloring as well as the mechanical work on these windows is all done in Col. R. Lewis' establishment, 434 Richmond street, this city, and will bear comparison with any of the imported European work. The windows, which are worth $2500, will be shipped to Victoria at once." One of the designs represents St. Francois Xavier and is in memory of Bishop Demers. The second represents St. Carolus Borrom and is in memory of the Right Rev. Charles Seghers. A third, representing St. Cecelia, is in memory of Bridget Cecelia McQuade and is presented by her son. St. Peter is portrayed on a fourth window, in memory of Peter McQuade, while the fifth represents King David, and is in memory of D. F. and J. T. Fee.

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For some time past Russia has been massing a large force on the German frontier and, though ostensibly with no particular object, it has been generally understood that the relations between that country and Germany are in an unsatisfactory condition. The recent refusal of Germany to permit the exiled Russian Jews to cross the border has not helped to mend matters, and, though not expected immediately, serious trouble between the two countries may be looked for in the near future. William has never forgiven the Czar for refusing to make him an official visit, when passing through Germany a few months ago, on his way to celebrate his silver wedding at the home of his father-in-law, and the fact that several leading Russian generals have left St. Petersburg to take command of the troops massed on the German frontier gives the situation a serious aspect.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

How to Feed Young Canary Birds.

The best food for the mother bird while she is setting, and for the young ones when they are first hatched out, is zwieback crumbled very fine under a roller and mixed with hard boiled hen's eggs chopped very fine. In case there is no grocery near and zwieback cannot be readily obtained, fine bread slices, thoroughly toasted in the oven—not over the fire—may be substituted. It is not necessary to give the old birds any seed with this while the setting progresses, but there must be plenty of this soft food and of water, and the food must not get stale. The old birds will feed the young ones for some days, but when the young are two or or three days old put boiled rape seed on the bottom of the cage where the young birds can pick it up. In a few days the mixture may be discontinued and canary seed given with the boiled rape seed. Don't take the young from the parents till they have thoroughly learned to feed themselves.

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DEAR SIRS,—I think I have been one of the worst sufferers you have yet heard of, having been six years in the hands of four of our best doctors without obtaining permanent relief, but continually growing worse, until almost beyond hope of recovery, I tried your Bitters and got relief in a few days. Every organ of my body was deranged, the liver enlarged, hardened and torpid, the heart and digestive organs seriously deranged, a large abscess in my back, followed by paralysis of the right leg, in fact the lower half of my body was entirely useless. After using Burdock Blood Bitters for a few days the abscess burst, discharging fully five quarts of pus in two hours. I felt as if I had received a shock from a powerful battery. My recovery after this was steady and the cure permanent, seeing that for the four years since I have had as good health as ever I had. I still take an occasional bottle, not that I need it but because I wish to keep my system in perfect working order. I can think of no more remarkable case than what I have myself passed through, and no words can express my thankfulness for such perfect recovery.

C. C. HAUN,
Welland P.O.

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THE UNITED STATES SENATE.

Great Precautions Taken to Guard the Sanctity of the Executive Session.

How Inquisitive Correspondents Worm News Out of Unsuspecting Legislators.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—We have been enjoying our annual laugh at the expense of the United States senate. About once a year the senate permits itself to become excited concerning the manner in which its proceedings, while in secret session, get into the newspapers. It is a queer fact that the secret sessions of the senate are more carefully reported in the papers than the open sessions. As a rule, special correspondents do not pay much attention to the sessions of the senate which are open to the public. Visitors to the Capitol are always expressing surprise that the press galleries of the house and senate are so empty. Usually one can see in these galleries but three or four men. Apparently the representatives of the great newspapers of the land do not care a rap what is going on down below. Explanation of this is found in the fact that all the papers depend for their reports of ordinary proceedings upon the Associated or United Press reporters, who occupy seats on the floor, who are shorthand writers and who make a running account of all that takes place. But suppose an extraordinary proceeding is on the tapis—a silver fight or something of that sort coming up. In a twinkling the press gallery will be filled to overflowing. Every seat will be occupied, and correspondents will be hanging over one anothers' shoulders. It is surprising where all the newspaper men come from and what they all find to do. In all there are more than 150 of them, and a keen, well informed, influential lot of men they are too.

Unless there is something of special interest in the senate the press gallery is left unoccupied. When an executive session is held the correspondents and everybody else are driven out. Suddenly the same correspondents who were paying no attention whatever to the public session become possessed of a consuming desire to know what is going on in executive session. Perhaps the secret session is of no greater importance than the public session had been. That makes no difference; information concerning a secret session is a sort of forbidden fruit, and newspaper men are just like the remainder of humanity in their proneness to pursue that sort of refreshment. So it happens that next morning pretty full accounts of what was said and done in the executive session appears in the newspapers. This goes on day after day for about a twelvemonth, and then the senate rises up and gets angry and talks of doing something.

We had such an uprising a few days ago, and it was attended by some comical features. In the first place the older senators, who regard themselves as the particular champions of the inviolability of secret sessions, attempted to institute a sort of reign of terror. They knew that senators had been talking too much to newspaper men, and they pretended to know who the offenders were. They declared with great solemnity that the senators caught revealing the secrets of the body would be summarily dealt with. It was intimated that resolutions to expel the offenders might be introduced. Naturally this sort of talk from the leaders created a good deal of excitement among the younger members of the senate. They looked one at another and held whispered consultation in the cloakrooms. In a few minutes there seemed to be an understanding throughout the chamber that everybody was to appear quite as indignant as the old senators at the violation of the rule of secrecy. Everybody did look indignant. Everybody lifted his voice for ferreting out the offenders and punishing them. Every face wore an expression of innocence and virtue. And when it was all over and nothing done, every one smiled to himself and the younger senators nudged their neighbors and shrugged their shoulders.

That night, for the first and perhaps the last time in the current year, newspaper men found it difficult to get news of the executive session. Senators were not at home. They were out to dinner, were at the theater, had gone to the club. The few who could be found shut their lips tightly and refused to utter a whisper. There were rumors that the old senators had hired detectives and set them to watch the houses of those of their colleagues who were suspected of giving away the senate secrets. For one night they were cautious, timid, awed, but for one night only. Next morning the newspapers had little or no news of the previous day's executive session, but from that day to this they have had better reports than usual.

The old senators who were determined to put a stop to the giving away of executive secrets went to an extreme in this case, which has brought down upon them the maledictions of all the newspaper men in Washington. They turned out of the secret session the old and trusted employees of the senate, men who had been there for year after year, and against whose good faith not a whisper had ever been made. One of these old employees whom the senate thus insulted was Captain Bassett, who for sixty years has been in the employ of the American house of lords. Old man Bassett loves the senate as he loves his child. He guards its interests, its dignity, the proprieties of its every form and proceeding with a jealous eye. He would make any possible personal sacrifice to protect the senate. His zeal in this direction is the consuming passion of his life—a passion which has gathered force through all these years of faithful labor. As a reward for it the senate turned him out into the corridor, as much as to say that in his old age he had fallen under suspicion and could no longer be trusted. At first the old man could not understand it. His senses refused to credit the words in which he was informed that he had been turned out. Then he burst into tears, and it was an hour or more before he had regained his composure.

Another old employee who fell under the ban was James R. Young, a newspaper man by profession, but for many years the executive clerk of the senate. Great senatorial minds have concluded that Mr. Young having been a newspaper man must be the culprit who was giving newspaper men information concerning the proceedings in secret session. It never occurred to them that this was a ridiculous assumption, and that Mr. Young is the last man in the world a newspaper correspondent would ask for information concerning the executive sessions of the senate. It was quite as idiculous a theory as that which some old fogy senators entertained, or professed to entertain, that the newspaper men had contrived to place in the senate chamber a phonograph, a microphone or some such instrument.

When the correspondents heard that the senate had cast its stigma upon Mr. Young they rallied to his support. They set to work to make their reports of the secret session more thorough and correct than ever before, in order to convince the senate that with Mr. Young outside the secret chamber it was very easy for the press to learn what was going on inside. They succeeded admirably. They published for several mornings accurate accounts of the discussion on the Behring sea seal fishery treaty, giving the names of the senators who spoke, the substance of what was said and an account of all the incidents and proceedings. They even related a story which Senator Sherman had told, using almost his language, word for word. The newspaper corps of Washington believes in standing together for the rights of the profession, and they not only took the trouble to give this object lesson of the manner in which executive session secrets are and are not obtained, but they have agreed to await a fitting opportunity to make things particularly disagreeable for one or two senators who have been most bitter in the unjust and unmanly persecution of Executive Clerk Young.

Correspondents do not find it necessary to use phonographs nor to impose upon confidential officers of the senate in obtaining information concerning the so called secret sessions of the senate. There is no secret about the manner in which this information is sought and obtained day after day, and if there is any senator who doesn't know the modus operandi, I shall be glad to enlighten him. The information is obtained from senators themselves. The mouth of a senator is the only source of executive session news which any correspondent ever thought of tapping. Because correspondents do not accost senators at the Capitol after the executive sessions are over is no sign that they do not do so elsewhere and at a more fitting opportunity. It is a rule among newspaper men to let senators alone at the senate, so far as secret sessions are concerned. That is not the place in which a senator opens his mouth and lets fall those precious bits of information which go to make up the trustworthy and skillfully constructed dispatches to the daily newspapers. The correspondents know a trick worth three or four of that. They wait till evening, till senators have had their dinners and settled down in their libraries or dens, with good cigars between their lips, when they are at peace with all the world and conscious that no eavesdroppers or watchers are there to make them afraid. It is then that the correspondent drops in on a few of his senatorial friends, one after another, and chats about the topics of the day.

"Senator," the correspondent may say to one of his friends from the American house of lords, "what do you think if likely to be the outcome of the Behring sea matter?"

"It looks as if we would ratify the treaty," may be the senator's reply. "Senators So and So are for it. Senator This says such and such reasons are convincing to him, and Senator That argues that these other reasons are quite as convincing. Senator T'other is opposed to it, and his argument is a very good one. It runs in this fashion."

And so the senator continues to gossip, the correspondent carefully listening. Not a word is said about the executive session. Not a word is uttered to show that the secret session of the senate has been in the mind of the senator or his visitor. But the newspaper man knows just the same that Senator This, Senator That and Senator T'other have made speeches in the executive session, and still better he knows what they have said. After a correspondent has called on two or three of his senatorial friends and has had two or three chats of this nature he knows as much as he wants to know and as much as the subscribers to his paper will care to read about the executive session. As a rule three or four correspondents club together on executive session news. What one doesn't pick up another does, and when it is all put together it makes a satisfactory story. It is very simple, very easy, very common. This is the manner in which executive session news is gathered, and a majority of the senators know it quite as well as the newsgatherers.

A year or so ago the senate went into a long, tedious and very solemn investigation of the manner in which secret session news leaks out. They called many corrospondents before them, and asked where they had obtained news, and if from senators from which ones. At first they asked these questions somewhat timidly. They were not quite sure but what the witnesses would tell, and that was just what they didn't want. But it soon became apparent that the newspaper men did not intend to "give away" the senators who had befriended them, and then the questions were boldly and in some cases savagely put.

"Where, sir, or from whom, sir, have you obtained information concerning the secret sessions of the United States senate?"

"From you, sir," the witness might have answered, but he didn't. What he did reply was, "From senators."

"From which senators?"

"I decline to say."

"You say you obtained your information from senators, and that you decline to give the names of those senators?"

"Precisely."

"That will do."

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Many of the most sensible and progressive senators are in favor of abolishing the secret session of the senate. They regard it as not only un-American, unrepublican, unnecessary, but farcical and foolish. They are not secret sessions, and never will be. Whatever is worth knowing will become known, sooner or later. Then why go to all this trouble to maintain a false pretense? One argument in favor of continuing the secret session is that in discussing the fitness of men nominated for office under the government by the president, preliminary to confirmation or rejection by the senate, it would not be advisable to have all that is said go to the country through the newspapers. The reply to this is that the people have as much right to know what charges are brought against men named for appointive offices as they have in cases where men are named for elective offices. It will not do to assume that the president of the United States is going to nominate men for responsible offices whose characters are so bad that a little public discussion concerning them is going to damage them irreparably in the eyes of their fellow citizens. If such men are nominated they are not deserving of much consideration; and the good men will not be afraid of publicity.

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The W.C.T.U. will hold in Temperance Hall
AN APRON SALE
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A PROMENADE CONCERT
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Monday—
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Tuesday—
OUR BOYS.
Wednesday—
BLACK DIAMONDS.
Thursday—
ROSEDALE.
Friday—
DIVORCE.
Saturday Matinee—
KATHLEEN.
Saturday Evening—
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POPULAR PRICES:—25, 35 and 50 cents.

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SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.
Dec. 30.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

IN CITY POUND—One black horse, white hind foot. Will be sold at auction on Wednesday, April 20th, at 12 o'clock noon, if not redeemed and pound charges paid on or before that date.
By order of Mayor and Aldermen.
ANDREW SHAW,
Poundkeeper.
W. J. DOWLER, C.M.C. ap11

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I SHALL not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written authority.
W. F. TOLMIE.
Victoria Sept. 2, 1891. se2-tf

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.
JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm
Victoria Dec. 11, 1890. de12-tf

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I, Jno. T. Pierre have this day taken my father, T. W. Pierre, as partner into the business lately carried on by me as the Victoria Tailoring and Dyeing Establishment, at 109 Douglas street, and the said business will in future be carried on by us under the firm name of Jno. T. & T. W. Pierre. All liabilities will be paid by the said Jno. T. Pierre, who will collect all bills.
Signed { Jno. T. Pierre.
T. W. Pierre.
Victoria, B. C., April 5th, 1892.
Ap6-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned under the firm or style of "Braden & Stamford," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.
The said business will henceforth be carried on by the undersigned James Leonard Stamford, who will receive all accounts and pay all liabilities.
Dated the 26th day of March, 1892.
JOHN BRADEN.
m28 1m J. L. STAMFORD

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You should see the cute curios and pretty ornaments in the
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Twenty per cent. discount on all goods for two weeks only.
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We have a consignment of Plate Glass, which we expect
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Make your gardens and houses really
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Buy and plant at once
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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to noon Saturday, 16th instant, for the erection of two frame residences facing Quadra street, for Mrs. F. Schl.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JNO. TEAGUE,
ap8 Architect.

A. MAXWELL MUIR,
ARCHITECT,
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In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

P. & M. REAL ESTATE LIST.

FOR SALE.

$1300—Six-roomed house, Superior street, James Bay.
$2200—Seven-roomed house, Labouchere avenue.
$1600—Five-roomed house, Vancouver street.
$1050—Four-roomed cottage near Oak Bay avenue.
$475—One large lot, Frances avenue.
$850—One lot on St. Charles street.
$350—One lot on Oak Bay avenue, on easy terms.
$300—One lot on Tennyson road (41x203 ft.)
$750—Half lot on Michigan street.

ACREAGE.

We have some choice acreage situate close to town, suitable for residential property and gardening purposes, ranging from $200 to $375 an acre, on easy terms.

HOUSES TO LET.

In all parts of the city, from $12 to $18 a month.

TO BREWERS:

We have a brewery with residence adjoining same, to lease for a term of years, at a low rental and centrally located.

BARCLAY, B.C.

Full particulars at our office. It will pay you to look into the Company's proposition, and secure a lot or two before the next rise in prices.

Prices to-day, $105 and $115 a lot. Terms ¼ cash, balance on time.

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NOTARIES PUBLIC. CONVEYANCERS.

THE SPORTING WORLD.

Sports and Pastimes to Amuse Victoria's Pleasure Lovers on Good Friday.

The Victoria Gun Club's Tournament at Grant's Addition---Baseball and Cricket.

Victoria cannot complain of a lack of amusements for Good Friday as games of all kinds will be indulged in by local sports for the amusement of themselves and the public generally.

THE GUN.

Perhaps one of the most inieresting events of the day, on account of the prizes offered, will be the Victoria Gun club's first tournament of the season, which takes place at Grant's addition at the terminus of the Fort street tram line. The shooting will commence at 10 o'clock and the morning will be devoted to sweepstakes shooting which many members of the club will take part in. In the afternoon the Routledge cup, Short and Sons prize of a handsome rod and reel and cash prizes will be shot for. The first named is shot for at unknown angles, five traps of twenty-five birds. It has to be won three times before it becomes the property of any one. It has been held once each by Wm. White and W. H Adams. Short & Son's prize is to be won but once in the rapid firing system at 25 birds. There are three cash prizes to be competed for in class shooting at 25 birds, rapid firing system. Thus every member of the club, whether a good or bad shot, is given a fair chance for the prizes.

THE ROD.

A large number of Isaac Walton's adherents will take advantage of the special excursion rates offered by the E. & N. Railway Company and spend the day on the lakes and streams between here and Nanaimo. Some will remain over until Monday, the company's excursion tickets covering the four days. Others, of course, will spend the day on the lakes nearer home where there are still enough fish for all.

BASEBALL.

Following is the make up of the nines for to-morrows' game called at 1:30 p. m. sharp:

JAMES BAYS.	VS.	V.A.C.
F. Jackson	p	W. Lenfesty
J. Hannon	c	J. Huxtable
J. Wishardt	1 b	J. Scott
F. Widdowson	2 b	J. Hayes
F. Williams	s.s	Geo. Smith
W. Franklin	3 b	J. Robinson
G. Gowen	l.f	Burnell
H. Hewlett	c.f	F. Gouge
Geo. Meade	r.f	W. Wriglesworth

LACROSSE.

The members of the Victoria Lacrosse Club will meet at the club rooms, Caledonia Park, to-morrow afternoon. The boys intend to get down to work this year, and expect to make the mainland teams work harder than ever. Several good players, who have arrived during the winter, have joined the team and with them they expect to win the championship without doing any importing.

THE TURF.

Mr. A. H. Knight's Jonny Hooker has arrived from the Sound and is now training at the driving park for the spring meeting.

Ha Ha will be over from the Sound in a few days. Mr. Knight will give an exhibition when he arrives.

W. McKeon has got an unknown to enter in the 2:40 class.

CRICKET.

The Albion Cricket Club will meet a team from the dock yard to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock, at the hill.

The second Albion team will meet a team from Corrig College on Saturday afternoon.

Is a Cold Bath Dangerous for Ladies?

At a recent meeting of physicians in London the question of cold baths for ladies was brought up for discussion. It was unanimously decided that a woman received great benefit from a moderately cold bath, provided that she was free from chill afterwards. This may best be avoided by wearing a "Health Brand" pure wool undervest next the skin. Invaluable for spring and summer in the light weights, as ladies and children will find after bathing; perfect fitting and beautiful new styles.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Dr. Frank Hall and J. Brown Thrown From a Rig and Have Bones Broken.

Last night a TIMES reporter learned the remaining particulars of an accident which occurred on Sunday evening in the suburbs of the city. Dr. Frank Hall and James Brown were occupants of the vehicle. It seems the horse ran away and colliding with some object threw the occupants of the vehicle heavily to the ground. The doctor sustained a fracture of the collar bone, and Brown had his left arm broken above the elbow. Both were taken home and cared for and the affair was kept as quiet as possible.

The injuries sustained by Dr. Hall, however, proved more serious than was at first supposed. The fracturing of the collar bone caused a pressure upon the artery of the right arm, and to such an extent that the blood could not circulate through it, and even to-day there was no pulse perceptible. No fewer than eight doctors were called in yesterday to see the patient, the case being a very unusual one and the doctor fearing he might lose the use of the arm entirely. Drs. Davie, Helmcken, Leitch and Dr. Jones of the Warspite held a consultation and assured the patient that it was not probable that he would lose the use of the arm or that gangrene might set in.

To-day the doctor's hand was warm, though there is no pulse, and he is doing as well as can be expected. He will be confined to his bed for probably a month, and there is no likelihood of his recovering the use of his arm to any extent in less than six months.

THEIR WORK COMPLETE.

The Grand Lodge A.O.U.W. now Duly Instituted---Their Next Meeting.

Immediately after the officers of the Grand Lodge A.O.U.W. had been installed yesterday afternoon and Deputy Supreme Master Workman Sullivan had announced the lodge duly organized, a dispatch was sent to Supreme Master Workman Kinsley, who telegraphed his congratulations to the new lodge. A telegram of congratulation was also received from the Grand Lodge of Montana and the Supreme Lodge of America.

It was decided to hold the next annual meeting at Chilliwhack in March, 1893.

Bro. Sullivan, who has been so successful in organizing the lodge, leaves this evening for his home in Helena, carrying with him the very best wishes of all with whom he came in contact.

The thought of having the Grand Lodge for British Columbia, although long cherished by the members of the order in this province, did not seem possible until Supreme Master Workman Kinsley visited Victoria last year with the Grand Lodge of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. He said then that there were three ways for British Columbia to choose from, when Oregon separated from them, viz.: remain with Washington, join Ontario or have one of their own. He advised them to follow the latter course and the members seeing the interest taken in the order, after it had been so fully explained by Bro. Kinsley in a long speech, at the Victoria Theatre, decided to accept his advice. They only had to say that they had decided upon having a Grand Lodge of their own when Bro. Sullivan volunteered to do the heavy work for them, and the success he has met with does both himself and the people of British Columbia credit.

A Fashionable Drink.

Menier Chocolate is a fashionable drink. Did you ever try it? Send postal card for samples and directions to C. Alfred Chouillou, Montreal.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

China mattings in great variety at Spencer's Arcade.

Razors, strops and complete line of shaving materials at Fox's, 78 Govt. St.

Pride of the West Lodge, I. O. G. T., visited the Victoria West lodge last evening.

When suffering from toothache try Gibbons' Toothache gum. Sold by all druggists.

The last ministerial dinner of the session was held at the Hotel Victoria last evening.

A large assortment of lace and art curtains, art muslins, cretonnes, etc., at Weiler Bros.

The fine shade trees near the Douglas monument at James Bay Legislative park, have been removed, root and branch.

Several new patterns of room mouldings just received by Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street.

As will be seen by advertisement in another column, the offices of the corporation will be closed to-morrow, Good Friday.

Three complete lines of fine cut bar glassware at Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street.

The salary question is a sore one with half of the council. They all admit, however, that those who work for the corporation earn every maravedi they make.

Call at the Steam Laundry, Yates street and see laundry work performed fit for white men. No spit, opium, or other celestial superfluities.

The squall this morning swept up the streets in a very thorough manner. The dust was whirled into the eyes of everybody, totally irrespective of rank or bank book. As one newsboy remarked to another, "It's all in me eye, Billy."

On Good Friday and Easter Monday the E. & N. Railway Company will run afternoon passenger trains arriving in Victoria at 8:05 p.m. and in Wellington at 7:41 p.m. Excursion tickets will also be issued on those days good until Monday.

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DIED.

MUNROE—In this city on Thursday, 14th inst., Capt. Daniel Munroe, a native of Pictou, N.S., aged 51 years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, from his late residence, 239 Johnson street, at 2:30, and from the First Presbyterian Church at 3 o'clock. Friends will please accept this intimation.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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—AT—

AUCTION

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SATURDAY, APRIL 16th

AT 7:30 P.M.

I Fine Singer Sewing Machine.
I No. 8 Chief Cook Stove.
Bedroom Suites, 8 pieces.
Child's Buggy.
Chinaware. Crockery.
Kitchen Utensils, Etc., Etc.

Can be seen at salesrooms.

JAMES MORTIMER,
Auctioneer.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE FIRM OF JOYCE & MEYER, real estate agents, have this day dissolved partnership, by mutual consent.

The business will be continued in the same place, Room 6, Bank of B.C. Building, by Mr. Meyer.

Victoria, April 14th, 1892. ap14-3t

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Jockey Club Grounds.

APRIL 18th

Grand Easter Monday CELEBRATION

With Grand Promenade Concert

In the evening.

A HOLIDAY FOR EVERYBODY.

Solos, Duets and Quartettes by

MISS HEATHFIELD,
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and MR. ROWLAND.

Sports, Games, Races, and a Grand Musical Programme.

ADMISSION 50c. CHILDREN 25c.
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MUNICIPAL.

Notice is hereby given that to-morrow being Good Friday, and Monday next being Easter Monday, statutory holidays, the offices of the Corporation will be closed on those days.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.

Victoria, April 14, 1892.

DON'T BE

Worse than a Chinaman!

When a Chinaman comes to this country to work, and gets good wages, he saves money and sends it to China with the expectation of returning to his native land and enjoying it in his old age.

But the white man who sends East for his clothing is WORSE—he sends his money to a country where he never expects to return to and in many cases never was in, and thus lets Home Industry die, and then will growl about Hard Times.

MORAL:—Get your clothes made at D. Campbell's, 88 Government street.

PRICES:

TWEED PANTS	$ 6 to $10
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46-in. Black French Cashmere, all wool, 90c. per yard.
44-in. Black French Merinos, all wool, 65c. per yard.
44-in. Black French Merinos, all wool, 75c. per yard.
46-in. Black French Merinos, all wool, 85c. per yard.
46-in. Black French Merinos, all wool, $1.00 per yard.
46-in. Black French Cashmere de l'Inde, all wool, 75c. per yard.
Black Silcot Sateen, 25c. per yard.
29-in. Black Brilliants, 25c. per yard.
Black Serges, all wool, 25c. per yard.

J. Horner & Co.

THE SUN IS COMING AGAIN

And preparations have been made for his arrival by

A. B. ERSKINE,

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TANNED SHOES

ever seen in Victoria. They are worth seeing.

THE PRICES ARE NOT DIRT CHEAP,

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COME TO CAMERON.

Remember that
The Tailor makes
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And Cameron will suit you
BETTER THAN ANYBODY
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His assortment of Underclothing is complete.

CHANGEABLE WEATHER

PROMOTES COUGHS.

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CURES COUGHS.

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LANGLEY & CO., - - 21-23 YATES STREET.

Sold by all druggists.

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OUR STOCK IS ABOUT COMPLETE, SEE IT.

Bedford Cords — Costumes (Some of the prettiest things ever shown.)
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One hundred and sixty acres, houses and barns, Shawnigan District. Only $1600; terms to suit.

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Two hundred acres, good land, Alberni District, $2000; terms to suit.

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